

# State of Connecticut Department of Developmental Services South Region 104 South Turnpike Rd., Wallingford, CT 06492



## **VACANCY - PLEASE POST IMMEDIATELY**

DATE: June 14, 2013 CLOSING DATE: June 24, 2013

POSITION	SDSW1
POSITION #	023192
LOCATION	Franklin House, Franklin, CT
SCHEDULE	Full Time — Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday 10AM — 5PM; Monday 6AM — 1PM; Wednesday 1PM — 8PM

### **DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES**

Coordinates and supervises or assists in supervision of a residential living program including assigning work and evaluating staff performance; assists in development of policies, programs and operational procedures; directs implementation of these policies, programs and procedures in accordance with state and federal regulations and needs of clients; arranges for fire drills and safety inspections; supervises staff by directing and advising them on work, reviewing reports and conferring with them on daily operational, disciplinary and special problems; arranges for and coordinates provision of appropriate supportive care services such as housekeeping, dietary, maintenance and laundry; secures and distributes supplies and equipment for teaching strategies and clients personal needs; arranges for client transportation; monitors client fund spending; assists in unit response to surveys and inspections; coordinates, evaluates and may participate in residential care program within unit including care, feeding, clothing and treatment of clients; may provide orientation and in-service training to subordinate staff; may complete and review for accuracy a variety of reports, notes, logs and requisitions, etc.; may design and write residential living programs; may attend interdisciplinary team and administrative meetings; may coordinate community support services for clients; may administer first aid in emergency situations; performs related duties as required.

SPECIAL
QUALIFICATIONS/
JOB REQUIREMENTS

Considerable knowledge of modern methods of working with persons with mental retardation; considerable knowledge of goals, policies and organization of a residential living unit; considerable knowledge of rehabilitative and interdisciplinary process; knowledge of support services provided in residential care such as housekeeping, dietary, maintenance and laundry; considerable interpersonal skills; ability to implement policies and operational procedures; supervisory ability.

## **EXPERIENCE & TRAINING:**

**General Experience:** 

One (1) year's experience working with persons with mental retardation or other developmental disabilities at the level of Developmental Services Worker 2.

#### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Incumbents in this class may be required to possess and retain a valid Connecticut Motor Vehicle
  Operator's license, Public Passenger Endorsement or Commercial Driver's license for designated
  positions.
- 2. Incumbents in this class may be required to travel.

#### PHYSICAL REQUIREMENT:

Incumbents in this class must possess physical and emotional health for efficient performance of duties; a physical examination may be required.

#### **WORKING CONDITIONS:**

Incumbents in this class may be required to lift and restrain clients; may have some exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to risk of injury from assaultive and/or abusive clients; may be exposed to moderately disagreeable conditions.

TO APPLY: <u>Please complete a CT-HR-12 employment application</u> which can be located at <u>www.das.state.ct.us</u>. Please reference the position number and provide copies of your last two performance appraisals. <u>Incomplete application packets will not be accepted.</u> All application materials must be received by 11:59 PM on the closing date indicated above. Appointment to this position will be made in accordance with applicable collective bargaining, statutory and SEBAC requirements.

# SEND APPLICATIONS TO: DDS SOUTH REGION

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Attention: Recruiter
(203) 294-5122, Fax: (203) 294-5160 TT/TDD (203) 294-4475

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